

ALABAMA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY
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License Renewal Form CE-2/PA-2 For 2012-2013

PRINT LEGIBLY!

Note: The board's on-line renewal system allows for immediate return of your license renewal certificate (by email), and is available to you at no extra fee. Go to www.optometry.alabama.gov to renew your license on-line with no additional fee.

Name: _____
License Number: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Telephone Number(s): _____

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Your license renewal fee for next year is due October 1. Your present license to practice optometry in Alabama will expire on December 31. Your license will be suspended (and disciplinary actions may result) if you fail to renew before December 31.

Your total renewal fee is either \$270 (therapeutic licensee) or \$160 (non-therapeutic licensee). Make your check payable to ALABAMA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY.

Therapeutic approved licensees must obtain 20 hours (at least 10 hours in diagnosis, management, and treatment of eye diseases) between October 1, 2011 and December 31, 2012. Licensees not approved to use therapeutics must obtain 14 hours. All licensees are limited to a maximum of 3 hours of distance based (journal, internet, etc.) and 3 hours of practice management continuing education. The board does not allow "carry over" CE hours. Each licensed optometrist must maintain records of CE attendance at approved courses.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Complete all information above.**
- 2. Include check payable to Alabama Board of Optometry for either \$270 or \$160.**
- 3. Include proof of having met CE requirements (CE-Slips).**
- 4. Include this SIGNED and DATED form.**

The above-named optometrist, licensed in the state of Alabama, by signing this form hereby certifies that he/she has completed all continuing education required by the Board, and understands that failure to submit proof of continuing education CE-1 forms (CE slips) can result in severe penalties, including loss of licensure. By signing this form, said optometrist certifies that all information is correct.

YOUR SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED.

SIGNED: _____ **DATE:** _____

Mail this SIGNED form (postmarked by 12/31), your renewal fee, and your CE slips to the board office.

Keep a copy for your records.

Allow 4-6 weeks for your license renewal certificate to be mailed to the above address.